

## PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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## TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a patent application of Dr. Thomas MAIER  
FOR: METHOD FOR FERMENTATIVE PRODUCTION OF AMINO ACIDS AND AMINO ACID  
DERIVATIVES OF THE PHOSPHOGLYCERATE FAMILY

## ENCLOSED ARE:

- ☒ 1 sheet of formal drawing(s)  
☐ sheet(s) of informal drawing(s)  
☒ an Assignment of the invention, with required cover sheet, to  
CONSORTIUM FUR ELEKTROCHEMISCHE INDUSTRIE GmbH  
☒ Priority is claimed under 35 USC 119 for the following application(s):  
GERMAN Patent Appln. No.102 32 930.3 FILED ON JULY 19, 2002  
☒ a certified copy of the aforesaid application is enclosed.  
☐ a certified copy of the aforesaid application will be submitted in due course.  
☐ Associate Power of Attorney enclosed.

## CLAIMS AS FILED

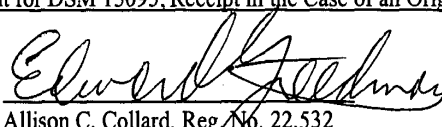
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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2 - 3	0	X \$84.00	\$ 0.00

BASIC FEE (\$750)

REDUCED FEE (\$375) ☐ Independent Inventor ☐ Small Business Concern \$750.00**TOTAL FILING FEE: \$750.00**

- ☐ Applicant claims Small Entity status.  
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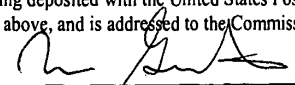
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